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To the Honorable Mr. J. H. ...  
...  
W. J. BLACK, G. P. A.  
Topeka, Kansas.

Post Office Inspector Boebn has been relieved of his job in consequence of some crooked work at Oklahoma City.

The proposition to remove the county seat of Beaver City to Guymon is not a closed incident as yet.—Grant County Vidette.

Only one out of every three taxpayers in the county signed the petition upon which Guymon is trying to force an election.

The Beaver Herald was considerably tickled last week over the county seat fight and gave vent to several glowing witticisms.—Liberal News.

From a recent article in the Channing (Tex.) Courier, it appears that that paper is not aware that "No Man's Land" is no more. We are Beaver county now, Mr. Courier.

If Guymon can make those hobo petitioners names count on the county seat petition, they would have a picnic using them for the erection of a \$30,000 court house.

It is not likely the mandamus proceedings against the board of county commissioners will effect anything different than the action already taken by the board which based its action on the records—pull and tax lists.—Kenton News.

There was not much hair pulled out by the roots in the recent county seat fight in Beaver county. Guymon and Beaver City were at last accounts, throwing knives at one another through their papers.—Woodward State Republican.

The only way an election can be called is to force the Commissioners to count the names of over 100 petitioners who have no interest in the county and do not contribute one cent in taxes. If this class of petitioners can be used to further every scheme conceived by a party of boomers the taxpayers may as well throw up the sponge and get out of the county while they can.

The Guymon Herald and the Beaver Herald have gotten up quite a spirited controversy over the refusal of the county commissioners to call a county seat election. The Guymon people offered to put up a \$1500 court house as an inducement for the removal of the county seat to that place. We would suggest that Editor Quinn sit steady in the boat and you will finally catch some crookedness.—Meade News.

The Guymon Herald states that, "The Beaver Herald gets the county printing at legal rates this year," which is a mistake. Legal rates for county printing are 75 cents per square for first publication while the Herald contracted the same for 60 cents. The Beaver Herald has never tried to gouge the county by demanding legal rates when it had an opportunity, although the former editor was once called a fool for not doing so.

Many taxpayers who honestly signed the Guymon petition, do not approve of the scheme to force an election by means of hobo petitioners. Every taxpayer in Beaver county who considers the county's interests recognizes the fact that the wishes of taxpayers and not those of hobo petitioners should control and that when two out of three honest taxpayers designate their choice of the location, by referendum, the election, their decision

**COUNTY NEWS IN LETTERS.**

The Herald's Budget of Communications From Regular Correspondents.

Many Interesting Items Regarding the Principal Events of the Week in Various Neighborhoods.

**COIN.**

The weather is cold and stormy and we had about three inches of snow last week.

The cattle are doing well in this vicinity.

The snow that we had last week will be good on wheat and rye. There was a good many complaining of the ground being too dry.

Mr. Wood, of Taintor's ranch had a severe attack of heart trouble Sunday night. He left the ranch Monday and will go to his father's home at Lawrence, Kan.

Miss Frances Peitz went to Englewood, Kansas, last week to work for Mrs. John Fox.

The Whitaker boys have been out hunting almost every day since the snow. They killed eight rabbits one day last week.

Alfred Erickson and wife were visitors at Englewood last week.

John Hatanan and Mr. Poppa went hunting one day last week.

S. M. Martin, the school teacher at Coin is going to have an entertainment the night of February, 23d, Washington's birthday.

George Coshaw went hunting one day last week and caught four rabbits and two pack rats.

Preacher Sound is in this vicinity and will preach at the Coin school house Sunday. He says that he is on his way to Beaver to preach.

JUNBO JR.

**EUBANK PUKE UPS.**

The snow storm was almost a surprise to the natives.

So far as we can learn there has been no great losses in cattle this winter. Some are bothered with the 'ch, otherwise cattle have done well considering the shortness of the grass.

T. J. Murphy made a trip to Guymon today.

We are glad to note the fact that Howard Booth, who received a broken collar bone during the holidays by his horse falling on him, is recovering nicely.

The attendance at school on Wednesday the 28th, was naught on account of bad weather.

Our mail has come every mail-day this winter.

SEMPER IDEM,

**CROOKED CREEK.**

The ground is covered with snow and looks quite wintry at this writing. O. M. Pemberton and Steven Richey are out with a camp outfit this week, hunting and trapping.

As some of our neighbors were a little bit ruffled last week over some little mistakes from here we beg leave to correct the same. George Pemberton was house building instead of house keeping. The Shaffer and Houson hay deal was for \$1 per ton instead of \$3. We were misinformed here but it was all a mistake. It is very hard indeed to write without making some few unintentional mistakes. We never wish to write anything that would hurt anyone's feelings.

THE C. C. B.

**GATE.**

S. P. Kerns had a sick horse one day last week. The animal showed signs of improvement at last report.

In all probability the man who has been complaining of the warm weather was not the same man who got lost on the prairie Saturday night.

The other day Bob Pitts traded for a horse which he says can "hit the high places" with Beaver county's best.

We understand there is one man in Englewood who is enterprising enough to buy eggs, etc., with the intention of shipping same. It is high time someone has taken up this business in Eastern Beaver county. People have complained for a long time that the price of their produce has been regulated according to the supply in Englewood. Now a new interest should be taken by the good housewife for therein lies her pin money.

THE TRAMP.

George DeCov of Meade was on the river Sunday trying to sell corn.

M. O. Danks has been blasting rock the week for a stone basement under his barn.

George Boyher was a caller up the river Sunday.

H. H. Butler was at Doc Ansbuts's Sunday.

The weather was so bad that Miss Ella Baker did not return from Beaver where she took the teachers' examination until Monday.

John Cherry is working for Mr. Free.

It has been so cold that it has been necessary to cut the ice in the river for the range cattle to get water.

Ray Rhodes has been reported as being on the sick list.

Mr. Dick made a trip to Meade Monday.

Mr. Free and sister Mary went to Meade Monday on business.

Mrs. Rhodes and Mrs. Martin called at Mrs. Mackey's Sunday.

Maude Dick is spending a few days at home.

Will Dickerson has bought some hay of Will Taylor and is hauling it home this week.

ANON.

**ENGLEWOOD, KAN.**

The day before yesterday was 14 degrees below zero here. How's that for cold?

Charles McCrellis has been helping Mr. Lee fill his ice house this week.

A grand mask ball at Gearhart's hall February, 7th, given by Tom Hill. He will serve supper at his restaurant. Everybody come masked.

Messrs. Robert and Harry Lee gave a party Friday evening. The young folks who attended report a splendid time.

Charley Rees who accidentally shot his foot on January, 3d is doing very nicely. He is at the Englewood House where Dr. Douglas dresses the wound daily.

Mr. and Mrs. McCrellis will move back to town again as soon as the weather permits.

The Truby & Loe elevator is doing a large business this cold weather. All orders attended to promptly. Thanks to Charles McCrellis for his is the boss miller.

Claud Blair was down from Colorado to be on his claim and stopped in town on his return. He says that there are plenty of settlers around his claim.

Success to the new Editor.

MARY JANE.

Liberal News: The following was handed up: "The latest railroad rumor is to the effect that the Santa Fe surveyors are locating the line from Englewood to a point in Colorado, presumably Trinidad, in which case Liberal will be the proper distance for a division point.

We can't see how you figure that, Mr. Millman. Beaver would be the right place and the one to get the division point. However, we want the railroad first.

Frank Isenhour, youngest son of C. Isenhour and wife, died at the home of his parents Thursday morning at 1:30. The remains were shipped to South Haven, Kansas, and buried beside his wife and child who died less than three months ago. He leaves a son by his first wife and many relatives and friends to mourn his untimely death.—Savonburg (Kan.) Record.

Mr. Isenhour was once a resident of Beaver county and lived out on Cottonwood.

For some time past a card has been posted in the post office here stating that contributions would be received for the McKinley Memorial fund. Strange to say not a single person has contributed anything.

The Western Oklahoma Stock Growers' association, in Beaver county offers a reward of \$25 for the arrest and conviction of any person who leaves camp fires burning or who fires a range—Guthrie Leader.

Don't wear out a \$3 or \$4 pair of shoes walking to your neighbor's house to borrow your home paper. You can have it sent to your home for only \$1.

\$500.00 Reward.

The above sum will be paid for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any one guilty of killing, stealing or depredating on any cattle belonging to me.

FRED TAINTOR, Englewood, Kan.

**Notice.**

Beaver, Okla., Dec., 9, 1901. All persons having claims against J. H. W. Smith, deceased, must present them to me by April, 15, 1902, otherwise the claims will be barred.

T. P. BRAIDWOOD, Administrator.

**Notice.**

Parties knowing themselves indebted to us please call and settle at once. We are obliged to have the money.

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**A Terrible Blizzard, Nix.**

Word was received here Saturday morning, over the telephone, saying that a blizzard was raging north and would reach this place that night. The cattlemen were warned of it and all were busy feeding and looking after the poor cows. A flurry of snow came about 10 o'clock and continued all day at times being so heavy that the Sand Hills could not be seen. The other end of the blizzard, thank goodness, failed to materialize.

The speakers on the question for debate next Friday night are: Affirmative, Wm. Quinn, C. O. Tannehill, A. Groves, Jesse Overstreet, Alva Allen, and Chas. Carmel. Negative, H. E. G. Putman, Frank Brown, Bob Leof-bourrow, Oscar Gardner, Eddie Gardner, T. L. Floyd.

Joe Murby and Harry Parks were in town today on their way to the C. O. ranch where they will work.

Land Office at Woodward, O. T.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and that said proof will be made before Charles O. Tannehill, Judge of the Probate Court in and for Beaver county, O. T., at 10 o'clock a. m. on March, 4, 1902, viz: Cortha Kagan, clerk of said court, at Beaver, O. T. on March, 4, 1902, viz:

Francis J. Dunagan, of Custer, Okla. Ty. HA No. 643 for the S. 1/4 Sec 16 and S. 1/4 Sec 27, T. 3 N. R. 2 E. 24.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

John T. Stanley, Almon Stanley, John W. Tait and Frederick W. Tait all of Custer O. T.

F. D. HEALY, Register.

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**Notice for Publication. (Isolated Tract.)**

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office, at Woodward, O. T.

Jan. 22d, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of instructions from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under authority vested in him by Section 2325, U. S. Rev. Stat., as amended by the act of Congress approved February, 26, 1901, we will proceed to offer at public sale on the 5th day of March, 1902, next at this office, the following tract of land, to-wit: S. 1/4 Sec 16, T. 3 N., R. 2 E. 24.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described land are advised to file their claims to this office on or before the 5th day of March, 1902, at which time the same will be heard and the rights of the parties will be determined.

F. D. HEALY, Register.

First pub. Jan. 31, 1902.

**CONTEST NOTICE.**

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

U. S. Land Office, Woodward, O. T.

Jan. 29, 1902.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Louis Barry, contestant, against Homestead entry No. 271, made April, 22, 1901, for S. 1/4 Sec 16 and S. 1/4 Sec 27, Township 3 N., Range 2 E., by Albert Son, Contestee, in which it is alleged that said Albert Son has wholly abandoned said tract of land for a period of more than 6 months next prior to the expiration of 5 years from date of said entry and that said default has not been cured, he having failed in any way to improve said tract of land or establish residence thereon within the statutory period (6 months) as required by law. That said tract is not cultivated or settled upon as required by law. That said default has not been cured; and that said alleged absence from said alleged land was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States, or as a private soldier, officer, seaman or marine, during the war with Spain or any other war in which the U. S. may be engaged and said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence tending to establish said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on March 5th, 1902, before J. K. Pickard, clerk of the District Court in and for Beaver county, Okla. Ty., and in case of his absence then before Charles R. Blanchard, his deputy and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on Mar. 15, 1902, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office at Woodward, Woodward Co., O. T.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Jan. 29, 1902, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

F. D. HEALY, Register.

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**CONTEST NOTICE.**

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

U. S. Land Office, Woodward, O. T.

Jan. 29, 1902.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by T. B. Fleming, contestant, against Homestead entry No. 724, made Jan. 27, 1901, for S. 1/4 Sec 27, Township 3 N., Range 2 E. by Christopher Lee Contestee, in which it is alleged that said Christopher Lee has wholly abandoned said tract of land for a period of more than 6 months since making said entry and next prior to the date of the initiation of this contest, he having failed in any way to improve said tract of land or to establish residence thereon within the statutory period (6 months) as required by law. That said default has not been cured; that said tract is not settled upon or cultivated by said party; and that said alleged absence from said land was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States, or as a private soldier, officer, seaman or marine, during the war with Spain, or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence tending to establish said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on Mar. 15, 1902, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office at Woodward, Woodward county, O. T.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Jan. 27, 1902, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

F. D. HEALY, Register.

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Land Office at Woodward, O. T.

Dec. 27, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and that said proof will be made before Charles O. Tannehill, Judge of the Probate Court in and for Beaver county, O. T., at 10 o'clock a. m. on March, 4, 1902, viz: Cortha Kagan, clerk of said court, at Beaver, O. T. on Feb. 4, 1902, viz:


Francis J. Dunagan, HE 95 for the S. 1/4 Sec 16 and S. 1/4 Sec 27, T. 3 N. R. 2 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of his respective lands, viz:

James W. Thompson, Horace E. G. Putman, John L. Loe of Beaver, O. T., Frank P. Kell of Boy, O. T.

F. D. HEALY, Register.

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WILL QUINN, V. C.

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G. M. GARDNER, Com.  
J. R. QUINN Adj.

**BEAVER LODGE No. 7, K. of P.,** meets on Tuesday night of each week at the Pythian Hall. Visiting Knights especially invited.  
W. B. RHOADS, C. E.  
J. BLANCHARD, K. of R. and S.

**NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT**  
In Probate Court of Beaver county, Oklahoma. In matter of estate of J. H. Linley, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Jennie L. Linley the duly appointed and qualified Administratrix of the estate of the said J. H. Linley, deceased, has rendered and presented for settlement and filed in said court her final account and report of her administration as said administratrix and that Monday the 5th day of January, A. D. 1902, the same being regular January term of said court, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the Probate Court room in Beaver in said county of Beaver has been duly appointed by the Court for the settlement of said account at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file his exceptions in writing to the account and contest the same.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court this 15th day of November, A. D., 1901.

C. R. Wright, Atty. for Adm.  
C. O. TANNERHILL, Probate Judge.

**Notice.**  
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